

SECRETARY DANIELS INDORSES ATLANTIC WATERWAY PROJECT

Tells 700 Delegates to Convention It Would Develop Commerce and Be a Defense in War.

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 25.—An ovation was given the steamship Berkshire when she arrived here today with more than 700 delegates to the seventh annual convention of the Atlantic Deep-sea Waterways Association and their guests.

Carrying a big spread of flags and bunting, and with scores of visitors lining the docks, the strainers received enthusiastic greetings until the Berkshire came to a stop here.

Leaving Hudson at 9 o'clock this morning for an inspection of the upper Hudson River improvements undertaken by the United States Government, the steamboat made good time to Albany. Breakfast was served aboard, and at 11 o'clock the regular business session was opened.

Congressman J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, president of the association, presided. After a brief address by H. Bernard, of New Orleans, was introduced as the first speaker. "Modern Barge Navigation" was the subject of the Southern's address. The other speakers were Louis J. Affolter, of Albany, N. Y., "Steel Barge Construction," Henry W. Hill, president of the New York State Waterways Association, on "New York Waterways"; Major Michael J. McDonough, of the United States Engineers, on "Local River Improvements," and Commodore Frank Bessenden, of Cranford, Mass., on "Progress in New England."

A committee appointed by local business organizations met the delegates upon the arrival of the Berkshire and escorted them to the State Educational Building, where the afternoon session began at 2 o'clock.

Joseph Daniels, Secretary of the Navy; Franklin K. Lane, Secretary of the Interior; United States Senator William Alden Smith, of Michigan; Governor Martin H. Glynn, of New York; Charles R. Miller, of Delaware; and Congressman Peter G. Ten Eyck, of New York, were the speakers.

DANIELS BOOMS WATERWAY. Secretary Daniels, in his address approving a waterway stretching along the Atlantic coast, said:

Not only will this waterway lend itself tremendously to the development of interior navigation, and to bring down the rates of transportation, but it also will provide unusual facilities for self-defense in time of war.

In any conflict between nations which have navies, the all-important consideration is to secure immediate control of the sea. In this case the navy of the weaker Power takes refuge in some well-defended harbor, where it seeks to wear out its enemy.

HONORS TO VISITORS. Beginning at 8 o'clock, tonight will be devoted to a round of social gatherings. The delegates and their guests will proceed in parade formation to the State Capitol for a reception by the Governor.

FORMER BELGIAN OFFICER SUICIDE IN EAST RIVER. Loss of Property Deeds in Fleeing War Zone Prompted Act.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The body of Ernest Werthelm, 59 years old, a retired German merchant and a former lieutenant in the 14th Belgian Infantry, was found floating in the East River at 9th street.

NEW RECORD AT ALLENTOWN. This Year's Crowd at Fair Largest in Event's History.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Sept. 25.—After the welcome shower last night the Allentown Fair began Getaway Day. This morning with repeated showers, despite the cry of hard times, this fair has attracted those of all former years in attendance and receipts.

BETHLEHEM BOY KIDNAPPED. Physician's Son, 2 Years Old, and Servant, Strangely Missing.

BETHLEHEM, Pa., Sept. 25.—The 3-year-old son of Dr. R. E. Heacock, of this city, is the victim of a sensational kidnapping, and a colored girl, employed as a servant in the doctor's home, is suspected of the crime.

LORD KITCHENER CONFERS WITH CHIEFS FROM FRONT. Army Officials Work Over Plans of Campaign.

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FLUTTERING WINGS MAY DISAPPEAR FROM CITY HALL



PETROGRAD 'NEWS' FALSE, AVERS LOCAL AUSTRIAN CONSUL

Discounts Reports of Extensive Action in Galicia and Announces Continued Triumph Over Serbs.

Official news of great victories by the Austro-Hungarian army over the Serbians was received by wireless today from the Russian office at Vienna.

News circulating and asserting that the Russians were defeating and cutting off General Danik's army near Przemyśl and that his troops were in dissolution.

When Director Harde, of the Department of Health and Charities, begins his crusade against the pigeons of City Hall Square, if he does shoot one, he will find he must contend with Mrs. M. M. Halvey, office manager of the Women's Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

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NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—In a letter written by Israel Zangwill, noted author, to Herman Bernstein, who is to edit the Day, a new Jewish daily newspaper that will be started here next week, Zangwill says the present European war probably will result in the political freedom of Jews in Russia.

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BRITISH CAPTURE PORT IN GERMAN NEW GUINEA

Australian Forces Seize Kaiser Wilhelm Land Capital.

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ITALIAN ARMY NEEDS SHOES. Government Wants to Buy 500,000 Pairs in This Country.

Five hundred thousand pairs of regulation army shoes for the Italian Government form a conspicuous part of a large order of army and navy supplies which that country is attempting to buy in the United States through the medium of Pizzotti & Ghio, a large Italian contracting concern.

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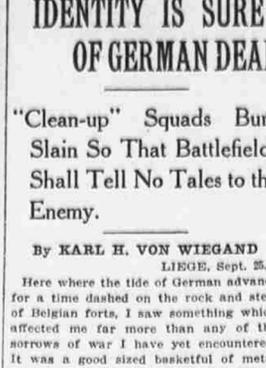
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Typical Soldiers of Warring Nations In Sunday's Intaglio

Soldier types of the warring nations, with a page of Great Britain's famous Indian commands, are shown at close range in Sunday's Intaglio. There are page-wide panoramas of the Knights Templars' recent peace exercises on Belmont Plateau, and photos of Germany's war lords and American treaty advocates.

Because of its wealth of authentic gridiron information, the Sports Magazine has been converted into a special football number without slighting other sporting activities. Among its articles on the possibilities of new football are special contributions by Parke H. Davis, Glenn Warner, R. W. Maxwell and Geo. E. McLinn.

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